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Claims

- 1 1. A mobile communications system, comprising:
- a radio network controller; and
- a Node B coupled to said radio network controller, said Node B operable to
- 4 control a plurality of its Node B internal resources for admission control.
- 1 2. The mobile communications system of Claim 1, wherein said radio network
- 2 controller is operable to inform said Node B about a priority of a connection to be established
- 3 in association with said admission control, and wherein said Node B controls said Node B
- 4 internal resources in accordance with said priority.
- 1 3. The mobile communications system of Claim 1, wherein said radio network
- 2 controller is operable to inform said Node B about at least one capacity reservation to be applied
- 3 for a cell configuration, and wherein said Node B controls said Node B internal resources in
- 4 accordance with said at least one capacity reservation.
- 1 4. The mobile communications system of Claim 1, wherein said system comprises
- 2 a Universal Mobile Telephony System.
- The mobile communications system of Claim 1, wherein said Node B includes
- 2 means for controlling said plurality of said Node B internal resources for admission control.

1 6. The mobile communications system of Claim 2, wherein said radio network 2 controller includes means for informing said Node B about said priority of a connection to be

- 3 established in association with said admission control.
- The mobile communications system of Claim 3, wherein said radio network controller includes means for informing said Node B about said at least one capacity reservation to be applied for a cell configuration.
- 1 8. The mobile communications system of Claim 1, wherein said radio network controller comprises a controlling radio network controller.
- 9. A 3rd generation mobile communications system, comprising:
- a controlling radio network controller; and
- a Node B coupled to the controlling radio network controller and operable to
- 4 control a plurality of its Node B internal resources for admission control in accordance with
- 5 parameters given in a message from said controlling radio network controller to said Node B.
- 1 10. The 3rd generation mobile communications system according to Claim 9, wherein
- 2 said parameters include parameters relating to priority of a connection to be established in
- 3 association with said admission control.

- 1 11. The 3rd generation mobile communications system according to Claim 9, wherein
- 2 said parameters include parameters relating to a capacity reservation to be applied for a cell
- 3 configuration.
- 1 12. The 3rd generation mobile communications system according to Claim 9, wherein
- 2 said system comprises a Universal Mobile Telephony System.